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VALUE ADDED SERVICES IN UP
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the efforts being made to start value added services in Uttar Pradesh Telecommunications Circle, particularly in Mohanlal Gunj and Lucknow;

(b) the number of telephone exchanges in Uttar Pradesh at present, category-wise, district-wise;

(c) the number of telephone exchanges in Uttar Pradesh functioning in departmental and rental buildings separately; and

(d) the position with regard to waiting list for telephone connections in Uttar Pradesh Telecom Circles?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRIMATI S MAHAJAN)

(a) The Value Added Seervices like Intelligent Network (IN), Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN), Internet etc. are available in Uttar Pradesh Telecommunication circles including Mohanlal Gunj and Lucknow.

(b) The requisite information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the house.

(c) The number of telephone exchanges in Uttar Pradesh functioning in departmental and rental buildings separately is given as below:-

(i) Number of telephone exchanges functioning in departmental buildings- 796

(ii) Number of telephone exchanges functioning in rental buildings - 2314

(d) The position with regard to waiting list for telephone connections in Uttar Pradesh Telecom Circles is given below:

(i) Waiting list as on 31.01.2003 in Uttar Pradesh (East) Telecom Circle- 121599

(ii) Waiting list as on 31.01.2003 in Uttar Pradesh (West) Telecom Circle -77930